

## RAFFIC MEN PLAN DAILY GRAIN REPORTS

Memphis traffic officials met at the office of A. H. Egan, general superintendent of the Illinois Central railroad today to formulate plans for supplying daily reports showing the situation in the Memphis terminal with respect to the movement of grain, number of grain cars on hand and grain storage facilities at Memphis, to W. C. Kendall, head of the car service section of the interstate commerce commission, requested by Mr. Kendall. Initial reports will be submitted to Mr. Egan, who will forward a summary daily to Washington.

In many parts of the country the grain elevator has suffered severely from congestion and lack of railway equipment, with the situation said to be acute at some places. The car service section is seeking accurate data on the situation in all parts of the country as a step toward solving the problem of moving the grain.

## MEMPHIAN FEELS AT HOME IN VENEZUELA

Politics in Venezuela is quite as hazardous an occupation as it is in the United States, the difference being that Venezuela one risks his life, while the United States it requires only the grain's money and sometimes his reputation.

Homey Erett, cousin of James Brett, clerk of the circuit court, who was sent to Venezuela, is visiting Memphis relatives, and tells of a recent election in which an announcement was made that all the people would be permitted to participate. An aggressive politician, Erett, had been elected to the office of president. The citizen heard of the story before the paper was published and made his way to the coast and escaped on a boat. The editor was arrested and thrown in prison and has been heard of since.

Mr. Brett is on his way to Washington to accept an appointment, but does not know to what post he will be transferred. Under the civil service rules cannot do change with administration, and remain in the service as are proposed on merit.

## Memphians After Seed Conventions

Memphis seedmen attending the convention of the Southern Seedmen's association and the American Seedmen's association will attempt to secure the 1931 meeting for this city, according to announcements Friday.

The Southern meeting is to be held in Jacksonville, Fla., June 7, 8 and 9, and is to be attended by Louis Burch, Jr., vice-president, Otto Schmitt, Jr., president, R. B. Buchanan, president of the American Seedmen's association, and B. Buchanan & Co., and the secretary-treasurer of the United States Seed Co.

The American Seedmen will hold their convention in Milwaukee June 25, 26 and 27 and will be attended by practically every seed man in the country. Delegates to both conventions will receive letters from the mayor and the chamber of commerce, inviting the delegates to Memphis in 1931.

## MOTION TO FREE BRYANT OVERRULED BY RICHARDS

Motion for a not guilty verdict for Benny Bryant, indicted jointly with John W. Campbell and Mrs. Campbell on a charge of violating the liquor law, was made Friday in first criminal court by Col. J. E. Bacon, counsel for the defense.

Col. Bacon based his motion on the fact that a member of a jury which tried the case was disqualified, and that every member of the jury was disqualified to return a not guilty verdict for Bryant, but that the foreman would not permit it, with the Campbell's case not agreed upon. The motion was overruled by Judge J. E. Richards.

## WIFE ASKS DIVORCE

Hattie West Saunders filed suit for divorce in circuit court from Charles Saunders Friday. Her attorney is M. D. Fleming.

## Good Meats Here At a Reasonable Price

Special Saturday Until 12 Noon	
Fisk Creamery Butter.....	56c
Loin Pork Roast.....	27c
Long Horn Cream Cheese (full cream).....	33c
IXL Breakfast Bacon (by piece).....	38c
White House Nut Margarine.....	32c
Fancy Dry Salt Jowls.....	15c
Pure Hog Lard.....	23c
IXL Boiled Ham (whole).....	50c

## After 12 Noon As Below Advertised

TRIMMED PORK.	
Loin Pork Roast.....	29c
Solid Meat Pork Roast.....	30c
Best Dry Salt Side.....	22 1/2c
Fresh Pork Ham (whole).....	32c
Country Pork Sausage, lb.....	25c
Mixed Sausage.....	15c
Boneless Corned Beef.....	25c
IXL Bacon (by piece).....	45c
IXL Smoked Hams.....	30c
IXL Bacon (sliced).....	48c
Smoked Ham Butts.....	35c
Smoked Shoulder.....	25c
Smoked Ham (sliced).....	55c
Smoked Ham Hocks.....	30c
Fisk-Dream Sliced Bacon, 1-lb. package.....	55c
Whole Boiled Ham.....	51c
VEAL.	
Shoulders.....	22 1/2c
Breasts.....	15c
Legs.....	29c
Rib Veal Chops.....	22 1/2c
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Pure Lard.....	23 1/2c
Best Lard Substitute.....	22 1/2c
Print Cream Cheese.....	38c

## White House Markets

137 N. Main St., Between Adams & Washington  
144 S. Main St.—Opp. Hotel Gayoso.

JOHN SPRICH & SONS, Inc.

## WINS \$10,000 DAMAGE SUIT AGAINST CAR LINE

A verdict of \$10,000 against the Memphis Street Railway company, as damages, was returned by a jury in second circuit court late Thursday. Rose Silko, administratrix of the estate of Joe Silko, filed the suit against the street car company and the Gulf Refining company, but the latter defendants were exonerated of blame when Judge Ben L. Capell instructed the jury to dismiss the oil company from the case.

Waiter Armstrong was attorney for the Gulf Refining company. James E. McInnes was counsel for Rose Silko, while Sam P. Walker represented the street car company.

Testimony showed that Silko was a passenger on a Florida street car on "fake armistice day," November, 1918, when the car hit a Gulf Refining truck. He was injured, afterward developed nephritis and died.

## HOLMAN GETS BRYANT CASE SET FOR JUNE 21

Harry T. Holman, attorney for B. J. Bryant, indicted for first degree murder, in connection with the killing of Lee Turner, L. C. fireman, now under indictment, has been set for trial June 21 on the criminal court calendar. Holman made his request for speedy trial before Judge J. E. Richards.

Bryant was retained as counsel by both the defendant and the police department of the city. The case was set for trial June 21.

Bryant has not been suspended by police officials following his indictment, an investigation having convinced his superior officers that he did not exceed his rights when he shot and killed Turner, according to Holman.

## HALF OF BIBLE CLASS FUND IS IN SIGHT

Members of the executive committee and division leaders of the Memphis Bible class will meet at the class hall Friday night to announce the campaign to conduct the canvass. Almost one-half of the \$25,000 goal has been subscribed in advance of the organization of the workers.

Alto Plough, president of the Pough Chemical company, sent in a check for \$100 Friday, stating that he wanted to help in the building of the memorial hall. The fund has now reached \$11,200 exclusive of a number of small subscriptions that were to be announced Friday night.

## HABEAS CORPUS PLEA FILED FOR JACKSON

Petition for writ of habeas corpus for Young Jackson, negro, was filed Friday by Attorney A. S. Reasonover. Jackson is the first of the two negroes arrested and indicted for the alleged assault Saturday night of H. P. Simmon. The alleged assault and robbery took place near Normal school.

Albert Jackson, Jr., brother of Young Jackson, was indicted Friday by the grand jury on a charge of robbery, in connection with this holdup.

## A Breakfast Dish of that sustaining food— Grape-Nuts

provides full strength for the mornings work.

Trial proves—  
"There's a Reason"

## MARRIAGES

HUNTINGDON, Tenn.—Mr. Joseph M. Ward and Miss Erin Kelly were married, the ceremony being held by Judge Wilson Enoch at the home of the bride in Huntingdon. The groom lives in Paducah, Ark., but has been in this community for some time. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. John Foster, of the Eighth district, and is a very popular young lady.

HUNTINGDON, Tenn.—Mr. William G. Leach and Miss Minnie L. Harwood, prominent young people of Atwood, were married by the Rev. J. E. Underwood, pastor of the Methodist church, in the presence of quite a number of friends. The groom is a native of this community and has been in the service in the recent world war, being seriously wounded, and is the Republican nominee for trustee of Carroll county. He and his bride are members of leading families of Atwood.

PADUCAH, Ky.—Announcement is made here of the marriage of Miss Ruth Stevenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Stevenson, to Mr. E. C. King, Jr., a fireman, who was married here last evening. Mr. and Mrs. King will make their home in Paducah.

PADUCAH, Ky.—Miss Gertrude Griffith and Mr. Clyde Hall, both of this city, were married here last evening. It has been announced. The Rev. H. C. Toelle officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Hall will make their home in Paducah.

HOLLY SPRINGS, Miss.—A wedding of much interest to the people of Holly Springs was celebrated at the Christ church last night, when Mr. Len R. Marbury was married to Miss Louise Caffey Smith, the ceremony being held by Rev. Frank Atkins. The bride and groom left on the night train for Birmingham, New Orleans, Biloxi and other southern points of interest and will be at home to their friends in Holly Springs after July 1.

CRYSTAL SPRINGS, Miss.—A wedding of some surprise to the friends of the parties took place Tuesday in Jackson, when Miss Anna Moody, of this city, and Mr. J. C. Davis, of Hopeville, were quietly married. Miss Moody is the daughter of the late Mayor Moody and Mr. Davis is a prominent business man of the county.

COTTON PLANT, Ark.—A very pretty home wedding was celebrated Thursday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, when Mr. Spencer Hall, Louisville, Ky., was united in marriage to Miss Ethel Lee Inman, Rev. M. Mar Yost, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiated. The happy couple left on the night train for Louisville, which will be their home, and where the groom is engaged in business.

SEARCY, Ark.—Miss Marian Virginia Lightie, of this city, and Mr. George C. Blount, of Appleton, S. C., were married Thursday afternoon at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Ben Lightie, by Rev. Charles A.

Harper, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. Mr. and Mrs. Blount immediately after the ceremony for Little Rock and will visit in Appleton, S. C., before going to Augusta, Ga., their future home. Out-of-town guests were: Mrs. Eugene Mitchell, Mr. J. W. Mitchell and Miss Peggy Mitchell, of Pensacola, Fla.

OKOLONA, Miss.—The marriage of Miss Frances Keller to Mr. Harry McElvy Wednesday night came as a surprise to their many friends. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for Mobile and other points in the South. They will make their home here.

## HEAVY RAINFALL DOES MUCH DAMAGE TO CROPS

UNION CITY, Tenn., June 4. (Sp.)—One of the heaviest rains that has visited this section in many years fell here yesterday morning. The government report states that during a period of three hours the rainfall was 4 1/2 inches.

In a row of concrete store buildings, east of the depot here, water covered the floors to a depth of nine inches. Streets were badly damaged, gardens and lawns were also damaged, and crops in this section suffered damage that will run into the thousands.

## SALVATION ARMY FUND ALMOST OVER THE TOP

BRISTOL, Tenn., June 4. (Sp.)—Approximately \$4,700 has been raised toward Bristol's quota of \$7,500 in the Salvation Army campaign. It is announced by those in charge of the local drive. The gate receipts from the local Kiwanis-Elk baseball game goes to the fund, and it is expected that Bristol will go "over the top" in the drive by Saturday night.

Children Who Are Pale and Weak Need a good genuine and tonic. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC purifies and enriches the blood and builds up the whole system. A General Strengthening Tonic for Adults and Children. 60c. adv.

## NEW FIRMS FORMED.

JACKSON, Miss., June 4. (Sp.)—The following new corporations have been formed in the state during the past few days and will shortly submit their charters to the governor for approval: Carl Connelley company, Charleston, Tallapoosa county, increasing capital stock to \$25,000.

Independent Tie and Lumber company, Mayhew, Lowndes county, capitalized at \$10,000. O. H. Sullivan, E. H. Conwell and others.

Amendment to charter of Charleston Co-operative Creamery, Charleston, Tallapoosa county, increasing capital stock to \$25,000.

## PLAN ROAD MEETING.

NEWBERN, Tenn., June 4. (Sp.)—A good road meeting will be held at the county courthouse Saturday for the purpose of discussing plans for the Jefferson Davis highway from Newbern to the lower end of Byer county. All right of way owners along the route are urged to be present to discuss the system of removing their fences that are on the route to the highway. The committee of the good road movement will preside over the meeting.

## SCHOOL FUND GROWS.

BRISTOL, Tenn., June 4. (Sp.)—At a meeting of the central campaign committee in charge of raising the \$750,000 for the schools and colleges of the synod of Appalachia, held here, it was announced that approximately one-third of the amount had been raised, and of this amount \$50,000 had been contributed by a wealthy citizen living in a distant state. Of the total fund raised King college, Presbyterian school for young men, is to receive one-third, Stonewall Jackson college at Abingdon, Va., near here, one-third, and the remainder will go to mountain mission schools.



## Boyden Oxfords

MOST any man who's ever bought a pair of Oxfords at Oak Hall will tell you that there's long, satisfactory wear in every pair. He'll say more—STYLE is essential at Oak Hall, second only to the matter of quality.

## SUMMER FOOTWEAR

The most complete showing we have had in WHITE BUCKSKINS, WHITE CANVAS AND PALM BEACH.

## OAK HALL

Henry Halle ONE STORE ONLY 55 North Main St. Dave Halle

## Fortune's Soda Service

Embraces all the elements of refinement in dispensing refreshing drinks and pure ice cream.

- FIRST—A modern sanitary Soda Fountain.
- SECOND—Efficient corps dispensing clerks.
- THIRD—An absolutely safe place for the children.
- FOURTH—Every dish, glass and spoon scientifically sterilized.

## All-Cream Ice Cream

Made From Pure Cream—No Artificial Makeshifts

## Honk-Honk—Drive Up and Blow Twice

For Fortune's Special Auto Soda Service

## A REQUEST

Believing autoists appreciate the convenience and benefits of having their drinks served in their machine, we request that they will co-operate with us and the Sanitary Department of the City of Memphis by exercising care in the disposal of the straws. Kindly replace all straws in the glasses when returning the trays by our boys to the fountain. By doing this you will assist in eliminating a danger to the public health and keeping our streets in a more sanitary condition.

## Fortune-Ward Drug Co.

111 MADISON AVE.

# June Series of Sales

Through the medium of our series of June sales merchandise such as you have always been accustomed to buying coming down to old prices.

For tomorrow you will find listed exceptional values in merchandise such as in great demand—full stocks, complete assortments to choose from at these astoundingly low figures, brought about by our efforts in forcing prices down to a low level.

<h3>Jewelry</h3> <p>\$1.00 and \$1.25 shell casque combs, set with brilliants, back combs with rhinestones, shell hair pins with colored stones, for ..... 69c</p> <p>\$1.25 bar pins, set with pearls and rhinestones, very attractive styles; choice ..... 75c</p> <p>\$1.75 white metal bar pins, with rhinestone settings, each ..... \$1.25</p> <p>\$1.25 to \$2.50 colored bead neckchains, smart styles, garnet, cherry red, blue, jade, coral and amethyst; choice ..... \$1.00</p> <p>Math floor.</p>	<h3>Corsets-brassieres</h3> <p>Elastic girdles, \$3.00 kind for \$2.19 These girdles have pink coutil sections, open back and front, ideal for summer wear.</p> <p>\$4.00 elastic girdles for \$2.95 —with sections of novelty fabrics in pink, much in demand for sports wear.</p> <p>\$1.00 pink batiste brassieres 89c —lace trimmed and some with shoulder straps.</p> <p>69c bust confiners, mesh fabric, 47c —in white and pink and in open back and front.</p> <p>Second floor.</p>	<h3>Silk blouses</h3> <p>—that sell now for \$15.00 to \$19.95</p> <p>—of a beautiful grade of tricolette in models fashion approves with sashes in back or side. A choice may be had of the season's favored solid shades. In fact this is a collection most pleasing and blouses attractive and choice—</p> <p>\$11.75 Second floor.</p>	<h3>Women's gloves</h3> <p>\$3.25 12-button Milanese silk gloves, all white, all sizes; pair— \$2.25</p> <p>\$3.75 16-button Milanese silk gloves, all sizes, in white; a pair— \$2.75</p> <p>\$7.00 16-button lamb-skin gloves, white, tan and brown; a pair— \$5.00</p> <p>Women's \$7.00 lamb-skin gauntlet strap-wrist gloves, white, white with black, tan, brown; a pair— \$4.00</p> <p>Main floor.</p>
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## Women's and children's shoes

Unreservedly selling for

# 25%

Off regular low retail prices

This sale remains in force until stocks are sufficiently reduced.

During this sale no shoes sent C. O. D., no exchanges, all sales must be final.

We continue this shoe sale to lower the cost of footwear to the general public—taking practically all the profit off our stock of shoes that represent the best America affords in shoes for women and children.

A sale that will profit most to those who choose most liberally.

Shoe store—below first floor.

<h3>Children's apparel</h3> <p>Children's \$4.95 dresses \$1.98</p> <p>Sizes 6 to 14 years, in fine gingham in beautiful colors and models, attractively trimmed.</p> <p>\$5.50 garden smocks, choice \$2.98</p> <p>—very attractive styles of the fabrics fashion demands for the present season in white and with colored trimmings.</p> <p>\$2.75 middie blouses in choice for \$1.89</p> <p>—of excellent fabrics, in models fashion shows her preference for.</p> <p>69c H. &amp; W. underwaists 50c</p> <p>This collection of the well-known H. &amp; W. waists includes sizes 2 to 14 years.</p> <p>Third floor.</p>	<h3>Men's furnishings</h3> <p>Men's \$5.00 soft shirts, perfectly tailored, choice ..... \$3.39</p> <p>—of fine grades of penangs, madras and zephyr gingham, in the new season's smartest striped patterns, conservative and brilliant colors that are absolutely fast.</p> <p>Men's \$1.50 four-in-hand ties for 98c</p> <p>—every fabric, both silk and washable weaves are included in these ties that have the slip-easy band and wide flowing ends.</p> <p>Men's \$3.00 four-in-hand neckties \$2.29</p> <p>Fancy silk and silk knitted neckties are all shown in this collection that features the newest patterns and colors. Each tie has slip-easy band.</p> <p>Main floor.</p>	<h3>Boys' clothing</h3> <p>Boys' suits that sold to \$24.50, of fine woolen fabrics, for ..... \$12.00</p> <p>—broken lines, off sizes, Norfolk styles in fine woolen fabrics in solids and fancy colors, a few navy blue serge; sizes included 6 to 15.</p> <p>Boys' \$2.50 washable suits, choice \$1.29</p> <p>—of fine washable fabrics, in solid and fancy colors; sizes 2 to 6 years, though sizes are somewhat broken.</p> <p>Boys' \$2 washable rompers for 98c</p> <p>Every style new and smart, all the best colors, broken lots and sizes.</p> <p>Fourth floor.</p>
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